

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

MICHAEL SKIDMORE, as Trustee for the  
Randy Craig Wolfe Trust,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

LED ZEPPELIN, et al.,

Defendants-Appellees.

Nos. 16-56057, 16-56287

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE AMICUS BRIEF**

On June 10, 2019, this Court granted rehearing en banc in this case involving an allegation of copyright infringement. The federal government is considering whether to file a brief as amicus curiae in connection with the en banc proceedings. A determination whether to file such a brief must be made by the Solicitor General, after appropriate consultation with interested components and agencies of the federal government. *See* 28 C.F.R. § 0.20(c).

If the Solicitor General determines that amicus participation is warranted, depending on the position ultimately taken by the United States, a brief could be due as soon as today, July 1, 2019. Because the

federal government was not previously involved in this case, and in order to allow the appropriate consultation to occur, we respectfully request a 45-day extension of time, to and including August 15, 2019, to file any amicus brief. If the government determines that it will not file an amicus brief, we will promptly notify the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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